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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 28, 2005
for the above-identified patent application, Applicants
submit the following:

Amendments to the Specification as set forth on page 2;
Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the Listing of
Claims which begins on page 3; and
Remarks/Arguments which begin on page 10.